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- 25X1 1. [] Mr. Kirkpatrick, Mr. Clarke, and I met with Congressman George H. Mahon, Harry R. Sheppard, and Gerald R. Ford to discuss approaching hearings on Air Force R&D projects of interest to the Agency. (See memorandum for the record.)
- 25X1 2. [] In response to questions posed by Mr. Francis O'Gorman, Administrative Assistant to Congressman Joseph M. McDade (R., Pa.), provided the following information received from DD/I. There were 42 missiles taken into Cuba, 42 removed and 42 observed. As to cost, a horseback computation would indicate base cost of missiles without warhead, approximately one million dollars. The cost of warhead, handling, and so forth would raise the cost some ten times. With regard to Cuban sugar agreements, I advised Mr. O'Gorman that the long-term guaranteed price contract for sale of sugar by Cuba, which the Congressman had referred to, probably would have related to the January '64 agreement between Cuba and the Soviets which guaranteed the Cubans 6 cents per pound for sugar for the period 1965 through 1970. Mr. O'Gorman was most appreciative of this assistance.
- 25X1 3. [] The House Rules Committee, by vote of 8 to 3, approved the resolution to bring the pay raise bill to the floor of the House. Discussion before the Committee indicated that no date has been agreed upon by the House Post Office and Civil Service Committee members for implementation of the various pay raises. It was mentioned in this discussion that present rumor provided for an immediate or 1 July '64 effective date for Executive Pay, and 1 January '65 for Legislative and Judicial pay.
- 25X1 4. [] Mrs. Mary Miller, Clerical Assistant, Senate Preparedness Investigation Subcommittee, called and advised that the test ban hearings were going to print. The hearings are titled "Material Aspects and Implementations of Nuclear Test Ban Proposals and Related Matters", jacket number 27-733.

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